



## ST. MARY SPONSOR FORM

**Directions:** Please fill out the form **COMPLETELY**. Have the home parish of the sponsor sign and seal the form. Sponsors, please make a copy of the form for you to keep and then bring the original to the Rite of Welcome Retreat in November.

**DO NOT:** Mail to the parish or school.

SPONSOR'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
FIRST MIDDLE LAST

NAME OF CATECHUMEN or CANDIDATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
FIRST MIDDLE LAST

SPONSOR'S ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIPCODE: \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTRY: \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSOR'S PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

I am a practicing Catholic in both word and deed (I live my life according to the teachings of Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church by following the 10 Commandments, frequenting the Sacraments, etc.)

☐ Yes ☐ No

I am a fully initiated Catholic over the age of 16: (Fully initiated means I have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation)

☐ Yes ☐ No

I am ☐ single ☐ married ☐ divorced ☐ widowed.

If married, were you married in the Catholic Church?

☐ Yes ☐ No

**(If you answered "no" to any of the above statements, you are ineligible to be a sponsor at this time.)**

I attend Mass:

☐ Weekly ☐ Every other week ☐ Once a month ☐ Occasionally ☐ Never

**(If you do not attend Mass on a weekly basis, you are ineligible to be a sponsor at this time.)**

Name of Home Parish: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ (Arch) Diocese: \_\_\_\_\_

I am a registered parishioner: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Name of Pastor: \_\_\_\_\_

"Pastors must ascertain the spiritual qualifications of sponsors. The sponsor for any candidate may be male or female and is to be sufficiently mature, a practicing Catholic, who has him/herself been confirmed and has not been prohibited by law from exercising the role of sponsor. One of the Baptismal sponsors is not only allowed, but is in fact desired as the Confirmation sponsor, so as to emphasize the relationship between Baptism and Confirmation." (Canon 893) This person is an active witness of the Catholic faith in both word and deed, and is able to perform the duties of a Confirmation Sponsor.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**Affix Church Seal**

*Pastor's Signature or Representative Signature*